Y ESTERDAY afternoon Dr. Henry Oldys was greeted by a large audience in the Woman's Club, when he gave a most interesting talk on "Bird Notes," illustrating his subject by imitating the calls of various

birds.
Dr. Oldys spoke of the steps which Dr. Oldys spoke of the steps which are now being taken for the protection of birds both in Europe and America, such as the passing of bird laws and other measures, preventing some atrocious crueities which have been prevalent. He also told of the immense reduction in the numbers of birds on account of the widespreag extermination of the volum, and that the besuiting of the young, and that the besuiting of account of the widespread extermina-tion of the young, and that the beau-tiful white heren from which the aigrettes are taken has been almost completely exterminated.

Dr. Oldys believes that the univer-sal slaughter of song birds and others of their kind is not to be credited so much to the love of dress and vanity.

He closed his talk with exquisite imitations of bird phrases and songs, showing the different variations in their notes, some glad, some sad, merry and full of sentiment, and gave some very striking incidents of his life with

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she returned to Richmond.

Recital at Club.

At the recital in the Woman's Club this afternoon at 5 o'clock Miss Roberta Allen, of Washington, formerly of Richmond, will be heard in several violin selections. Clinton Boyd will assist her as baritone in the rendition of a most artistic program.

Mrs, Dunbar Roy, of Atlanta, Ga., is spending some time here in the home of her father, T. H. Ellett, at 807 West Franklin Street. Miss Lucy Parke Brooke, of Rom-

Mrs. M. V. Turner has returned from

Mr. and Mrs W. L. Clack and little girl have returned from a visit to Boydton, Va., and taken apartments at the Hanover. Mrs. W. E. Holmes, of Boydton, is the guest of Mrs. Clack.

Mrs. Hampton Ewing, of Yonkers, N. Y., and Mrs. P. Walker Gilmer, of Bay Minette, Ala., are guests of Mrs. R. A. Lancaster, at her home, 904 Park Ave-

Mrs. John Alvey and Miss Alvey have returned from a trip to New Or-leans and a visit to relatives in Mis-sissippi.

'Mrs. Robert Patterson, widow of Robert Patterson, of Philadelphia, is with Mrs. Bowers at 115 East Frank-lin Street, until May 1. Mrs. Patter-son's many friends will remember her as Mrs. George Pollard (nee Mary Phe-Mrs. Robert Patterson, widow lan Hawn, of Alabama). The Pattersons formerly lived in Philadelphia, but have made their home in Blacksburg, Va., for several years past.

Miss Ida Flippen and Miss Emma Miss Ida Plippen and Miss Emma Fowlkes, who spent several delightful weeks here during the winter season, are at 215 East Franklin Street for several days before returning to their home in Cumberland. Miss Flippen and Miss Fowlkes are back from a very pleasant visit in Washington, where they greatly enjoyed the many pleasures of the capital city.

Miss Jane Minor, who has made her home in Blacksburg, Va., since last June, will be in the city until May 1 at 115 East Franklin Street.

Mrs. John Harwood, Jr., and little son returned Saturday to Richmond, after a visit to Mrs. Harwood's mother, Mrs. E. V. Wilkins, at her home in Court Street, Portsmouth.

Mrs. R. E. Patterson, of Blacks-burg. Va., who has been spending several weeks with relatives in Wash-ington, is now in Richmond for a fort-night's stay.

Mrs. John L. Eubank leaves the last of the week for Warm Springs.

Miss Mattic P. Harris has returned to 202 bast Main Street, after a visit to friends in Lynchburg and several

weeks' stay with her brothers in Louis-ville, Ky.

Miss Mary Chapman is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. K. Pendleton, at her home, in Wytheville, Va. Miss Ellen Witt, of this city, and Mrs. T. A. Smith are guests of Mrs. George W. Nurney, in Suffolk.

Mr. and Mrs. John Newton Williams, of Norfolk, have just announced the engagement of their daughter, Alice Bland, to William Henry Crawford Ellis, of Philadelphia. The wedding will occur on May 29. Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Walton have re-turned to Richmond, after a delightful visit to Jacksonville, St. Augustine, Tampa, Key West and other Southers points.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Canby Marye, whose wedding took place on Wednesday last in Baltimore, are in Richmond for a few days, and will go to Charleston and Savannah, returning from Savannah by water. Miss Ottolene Culpeper and Beatrice

Kirk, who have been having such a delightful stay in Portsmouth as the guests of Miss Marguerite Dongan, ave returned home. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Heffelfinger, Miss Bessie Bocker, Miss Mary Booker and Miss Dorothy Armstrong have re-turned to Newport News from Peters-burg, where they attended the Town-send-Bryan wedding last week.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Lewis, of Winchester, Va., for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Neva Bell Lewis to Lester Hamilton Anderson, which is to take place on Wednesday afternoon, April 28, at the home of the bride's parents.

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who yesterday dangerously shot James Keesler at the latter's home over a family dispute, walked into Spencer this afternoon and surrendered to Sheriff J. H. McKenzie, whom he had advised by telephone to meet him. Beasley gave bond of \$500 and wenthome. Keesler is improving, and it is believed that he can stand trial in tendays.





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[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LYNCHBURG, VA., April 19.—The
National Manufacturing Company has
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of mattresses, cotton felt, excelsior,
springs, lounges and couches. The
officers are: President, C. F. Byrne, of
Washington, D. C.; Vice-President,
Norah McNamara, and Secretary-Treasurer, W. T. McNamara, Jr. The company has secured an equipped plant
in the city limits,

No Increase Yet.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

NORFOLK, VA., April 19.—Although
flour is considerably higher, the Norfolk bakers are still retailing and
wholesaling bread of the standard
weight, and as yet they contemplate
no advance in the price or cut in the
weight. Bread is retailing at 5 cents
and wholesaling at 4 cents. A number of bakers expected the present advance in prices and laid in a large
supply of flour several weeks ago,

Funeral of Mrs. Mays.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LYNCHBURG, VA., April 19.—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah S. Mays, who died Saturday, took place this morning from the residence, \$11 Fifth Stret, at 10 o'clock, and the interment was at Spring Hill. Rev. J. A. Thomas, pastor of Centenary Methodist Church, conducted the service.

The pail-bearers were: John Wray, J. L. Thompson, F. Molteni, C. J. Carter, J. T. Martin and R. M. McGhee,

store in the Elks' Bullding, made an assignment this morning for the benefit of his creditors, naming J. J. Wolfenden as his assignee. The store is closed and Mr. Wolfenden has charge. The liabilities are not given, but are understood to be large.

Negro Is Murdered.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LYNCHBURG, VA., April 18.—This morning shortly after 8 o'clock in an alley adjoining Canada's livery stable, where both of the negroes were employed, Jim Crawford, alias Yeager, was shot and alimost instantly killed by Parker Lewis, and Lewis was arrested and locked up by Officers Morris and Childress, who were on the scene shortly after the shooting took place.

Taxes Collected.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LYNCHBURG, VA., April 19.—Up to
this afternoon City Treasurer Adams
had collected 3,034 capitation taxes assessed against white persons and 52
assessed against negroes, the total being 3,563. The number of unpaid assessments is 1,878 white and 1,094 negroes, a total of 2,972.

lection. His term expires July 1.

Hearing Postponed.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

SUFFOLK, VA., April 19.—Owing to the inability of all attorneys to be present, argument on the application for a receiver for the assigned Merchants' and Truckers' Bank to supersede a trustee, to-day, was postponed until to-morrow. Some of the Richmond creditors will join the National Exchange Bank, of Baltimore, in the receivership proceedings.

Deserters Arrested,
[Special to The Times-Dispatch,]
SUFFOLK, VA. April 19.—Arrested in Suffolk for alleged desertion, Horton Patterson, from the battleship Mississippi, and Joseph Carlin, of the Marine Corps, to-day were sent by local police to the Norfolk navy yard, where they were delivered, respectively, to the receiving ship Franklin and the marine barracks. The men were on their way West when captured.

No Haven There.

Social to The Times-Dispatch.]

NORFOLK, VA., April 19.—Because of a report that the gamblers of Norfolk expected to cross the river and open up business in Portsmouth, Mayor Reed to-night tssued an ultimatum similar to that issued Saturday by Chief Kizer, that such resorts would not be tolerated, and that they would be raided as often as necessary to prevent their existence.

Society Elects Officers.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LYNCHBURG, VA., April 19.—The
debating society of the Lynchburg
High School has elected the following
officers for the remainder of the
school term: President, Hazel Jester;
Vice-President, E., Bussy Krebs; Secretary, Mary Rice; Sergeant-at-Arms,
Luther Dillion.

Erecting Elevator, [Special to The Times-Dispatch,]
LYNCHBURG, VA. April 19.—The Piedmont Mills has commenced the erection of a grain elevator adjoining the mill at the corner of Jefferson Street and Horsford Road.

Hinson—Allison.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., April 19.—
Lewis A. Hinson, Jr., and Miss Sarah
E. Allison, daughter of Jas. G. Allison, both of Richmond county, were married Thursday at Jerusalem Eaptist Church, Rev. S. P. DeVault officiating

Marriage To-Morrow.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
FREDERICKSEURG, VA., April 19,—
Cards are out for the marriage on
Wednesday of Miss Mary Maude Mevedith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L.
Meredith, of Gloucester county, to Josse
B, Gray, at the home of the bride,

BROTHERS KILLED AND HOME BURNED

Robbery Is Believed to Have Been Motive of Double Murder.

ARRESTS YET MADE

Buckingham County Startled by Discovery of Most Gruesome Crime,

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] BUCKINGHAM COURTHOUSE, VA. BUCKINGHAM COURTHOUSE, VA., April 19.—Burned to an unrecognizable mass of flesh and charred bones, the bodies of William and Thomas Stewart, brothers, were found at an early hour this morning in the ruins of what had been their home. It is now practically assured that the brothers were cally assured that the brothers were murdered, robbery being the motive, and that their home was burned to cover traces of the crime. That was the verdict of the coroner's jury, which made an investigation this afternoon. The burning of the house was almost successful in concealing the fact that a double murder had been committed, as it was not until the investigation had been nearly completed, the coroner's jury working on the assumption that the brothers had met death in the

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this place. Shortly after 3 o'clock this morning the house was discovered in flames, and before assistance could reach there it had been reduced to ashes. With the coming of daylight the charred bodies of the two men were found in the rules. were found in the ruins. Until this afternoon it was believed

Until this afternoon it was believed that the brothers had been overcome by the smoking of their burning residence, and had so perished, but a coroner's jury was impaneled and a thorough investigation made. It was then that the shot which disclosed the crime were discovered. While it is believed that robbery was the motive, there is now no evidence to support such a belief.

No arrests have been made, but the officers are following clues which they

officers are following clues which they believe may lead to the capture of the murderer or murderers. The entire community has been greatly attreed by the double tragedy, and threats of violence, should a capture be made, have been heard.

Negro Drives Stolen Horse Sixty Miles in Effort to Escape.

LANCASTER C. H., VA., April 19.— L. Sanford, of Westmoreland coun-went to Montross yesterday evening

Jackson, who is about twenty years old, was formerly convicted in Lancaster Circuit Court of breaking into a store and stealing goods, but on account of his youthful age was sent to the negro reformatory in Hanover county, where he served a term of years.

EARTH SWALLOWS HORSE.

Opens Up Beneath Feet of Animal and Buries It,

Buries II, Especial to The Times-Dispatch, [Special to The Times-Dispatch,]
BUCHANAN, VA., April 19.—While Charles Boozo was plowing on his farm near here to-day the ground suddenly gave way beneath the feet of one of his horses, and the animal sank from view. Although in danger of being entombed with the animal, Mr. Boozo severed the leather traces with his knife and succeeded in saving the other horse, which was already sinking on the edge of the pit. The earth closed over the body of the burled animal, and it was not recovered. The strange opening of the earth and the swallowing-up of the horse has not been accounted for.

AMUSEMENTS

Bijou—"Convict 999." Lubin—Continuous Vaudeville,

Bijou—"Convict 690."
Lubin—Continuous Vaudeville,

Still Full of Thrilis,

"Convict No. 993." on his third annual tour, opened at the Bijou last night much in the same old way except for the crowd, which was smaller than in years gone by. In other respects there was little difference; there were the same thrills in the way of rescues, shootings, murders and the like, with attendant narrow escapes and the final "happy ever after" ending. There were also the plaudits of the sympathetic for the hero and the hisses at the proper time from the Diamond Dick youths in the gallery.

There was some class to the performance of the soldiers of Company B, Eighth Regiment. They were supposed to be amateurs, but they did steight-of-hand "stunts" with their guns, which were used in this part of the play solely with peaceful intent. Members of the city military showed their appreciation by applauding vociferously. A. H. Lang, as Adolph Bleck, the janitor, was the only laugh in the show. His songs brought the applause that is due for a break in the bloodthristy monotony of a show like this.

"The White Sister."

Miss Viola Allen comes to the Academy Friday night in "The White Sister," ably supported by a large and capable company. The production is said to be one of the best of its kind ever brought to Richmond, and the indications are that Miss Allen will be greeted by a capacity house,



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